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IN THE SENATE

President Leenberg, looking as though he had had a somewhat severe time of it during his recent illness, was on hand to call the Senate to order this morning at the opening of the 55th day of the session.

There was the usual batch of communications relative to bills from the House at the opening of the session. The House failed to concur in the amendments to House Bill 185, and asked for a conference. Hayselden, Lane and Kalama were appointed Senate conferees. The House likewise asked a conference on House Bill 188, and the same conferees were appointed.

A communication from the Chinese Y. M. C. A. asked for the passage of a law exempting its property used for religious purposes from taxation. The petition was received and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Senate Bill 196, to repeal Section 2885 of the Revised Laws, relating to the regulation of markets, passed third reading without dissent.

House Bill 4, to repeal the obsolete Vaccination laws, was read for the second time and tabled.

Dickey moved a reconsideration of House Bill 201, the jury appropriation bill, and when this carried, moved an amendment to facilitate the drawing of money by Hawaii jurors. The amendment was accepted.

DEPARTURE OF IROQUOIS DELAYED

VESSEL WILL LEAVE FOR MIDWAY ABOUT MAY 3—WILL GO TO PEARL HARBOR TOMORROW.

Captain Niblack was notified that the additional stores for the marine guard at Midway which were to have been sent by the S. S. Nevada, will be shipped by the S. S. Ventura leaving San Francisco next Wednesday. The stores will reach Honolulu May 3. It had been planned to send the U. S. S. Iroquois to Midway and the other islands lying to the west of Kauai on May 2, but the delay in the shipment of the stores will necessitate a delay in the departure of the Iroquois.

The schooner Charles Levi Woodbury will probably not get away for Laysan Island until May 3. She was scheduled to depart on May 2. She will go to Laysan Island first landing Captain Max Schlemmer and family and then will continue to Midway to discharge the stores for the cable people and marine guard. From Midway the vessel will return to Laysan to load a cargo of guano for Honolulu.

The U. S. S. Iroquois will leave tomorrow morning for Pearl Harbor to take the marines at the naval station and the marines from the cruiser Boston to the Peninsula. The Boston marines will remain about a week for target practice with small arms, while the other men will remain about a month in regular encampment.

RAPID TRANSIT IN THE HOUSE

THE HAYSDELLEN CONCURRENT RESOLUTION OF IMMIGRATION GETS THERE AND IS DEFERRED

The House of Representatives ended last week with a discussion of Rapid Transit matters and it commenced this week with the same concern. The Senate's concurrent resolution in re the Honolulu Rapid Transit and Land Company, Limited was read through in both English and Hawaiian. It asked that the Attorney General be directed to secure a true valuation and capitalization of the Hawaiian Tramways Ltd., by the Rapid Transit; that the Attorney General shall ascertain if the franchise is correctly valued at \$264,191; that he shall find out if the franchise is "property" under the law; that he shall ascertain the validity of the franchise and that he shall protect the territory's rights.

Harris suggested that since an in-

IN THE HOUSE

In the House this morning consideration of the Senate's amendments to H. B. 96 relating to attachments was deferred until this afternoon.

The Senate sent back House bill 52 to charter the Standard Telephone Company with amendments.

The house unanimously concurred in the amendments and the bill passed third reading.

The secretary of the Territory notified the House that the Governor had complied with the request of the House to return House bill 125, the bill to regulate trust companies.

Harris moved to refuse concurrence in the Senate's amendments and to appoint a conference committee on the bill. Both motions carried and Speaker Knudsen appointed Harris, Copp and Shipman as the committee.

The Senate returned House bill 108 relating to jurors, with amendments, action being deferred until this afternoon.

Lilikani introduced a resolution for the appropriation of \$35,000 for the enlargement of Nuuanu reservoir and power station.

Cochio had a resolution for \$10,000 to be appropriated for a pipe line extension in the Wailuku-Kahului water works.

On motion of Smith it was decided to print the report of the committee on the act regulating fiduciary companies in both English and Hawaiian.

Senate bill 96 (Kalama) for the protection of small food fishes was up for third reading. An amendment was suggested by Lewis to prevent persons having explosives in their possession near fisheries without lawful excuse but the amendment failed for want of a second. The bill passed third reading by 22 to 7.

The House took a recess at noon.

AUTOMOBILING AROUND OAHU

CHARLES BELLINA MAKES A TRIAL TRIP AND WILL REPORT TO GOVERNOR CARTER.

Charles Bellina made a tour of the island yesterday in an automobile. He went to make a test of the roads, in their relation to automobilizing, to see if it is practicable to attempt around the island automobile tours.

He had a conference with Governor Carter and Secretary Atkinson on Saturday about the proposed trip, and he was asked to make very careful notes of the roads, and what would be necessary to make them good touring roads, Governor Carter saying that he would like if the finances of the Territory would permit of automobile touring around each of the islands. He thought it would add greatly to the attractiveness of the islands to tourists, especially as long distance and foreign country touring has become such a fad.

Mr. Bellina made the trip yesterday without special difficulty. There is at least one point on the other side of the island where the road crosses a stream without a bridge, where it is impossible, or rather impracticable for an automobile to get through. It was one of Bellina's objects to see if it were practicable to make a detour of this place. The start was made about 10 o'clock yesterday morning and the return was at about 7 o'clock in the evening.

LAHAINA NOTES.

Lahaina can now boast of three Japanese Buddhist Temples, two Mormon churches, a new religion church, and a Chinese Wo Hing Club house.

During the absence of Manager L. Barkhausen in Germany, Charles L. Springer has charge of the Pioneer Plantation.

Four ladies from Honolulu have been exercising their artistic gifts in this town, and an exhibition of their pictures was given a few days ago.

Investigation was to be made it would be better to have all of the dealings between the company and the Territory investigated by the Attorney General and on his motion action was deferred until this afternoon to give him time to draft an amendment.

DOLE SENDS FOR MORE JURYMEN

FEDERAL COURT POSTPONES TAKING UP CRIMINAL TRIALS TO NEXT WEDNESDAY.

Judge Dole's trial jurors appeared in court this morning and were excused till Wednesday, when the first trials of the term will be begun. There were not enough jurors left after the excusals and the judge ordered a special venire of ten more, returnable Wednesday. The jurors in court this morning and accepted for the term were: Anthony Gilman, Pierre Jones, J. G. Serrano, F. W. Mackinney, Charles A. Judd, F. W. Weed, Charles Hustace Jr., T. F. Lansing, H. P. Wickham, W. L. Hardy, C. Christian, C. Nielson, J. C. Carter. The new jurors to be summoned are: W. W. Hall, E. H. Biven, George A. Martin, Victor Hoffman, Louis Swain, Peter Johnson, John Emmeluth, W. R. Reilly, L. Marx, R. E. Wright.

The case of Wong Lay, charged with holding a Chinese girl in involuntary servitude, was set to be tried first, on Wednesday. E. C. Bertelman pleaded not guilty to four indictments charging impersonating a federal officer and his cases were set for May 4. Fukuda and Oyama pleaded guilty of violations of the laws regarding illicit stills and will appear for sentence tomorrow.

POLICE SPIES STIR UP CRIME

PORTO RICANS MAKE COMPLAINT THAT THEY WERE LED INTO A GAMBLING GAME.

Several local Porto Ricans who are workmen of various sorts have made a protest against a "job" which they claim was put up on them a week ago by Porto Rican police spies. According to the story of the victims some of the police are employing the lowest kind of criminals and pimps as spies and informers, and the latter encourage offenses when they find business dull.

Four men who paid a \$6 fine for gambling last Saturday have written a letter in which they declare that they were led into the offense by a police spy and that he was not arrested, though he started the game and took part in it. "The spy asked us to his place for a social evening," said one of the protesters, "proposing a bottle of wine or so. As we are men who work hard all week and have few social outings, it was natural that we should accept. Then after a little wine he proposed a card game and after it was started the police suddenly burst in on us and arrested us for gambling. They never touched the man whose room we were in and who started the game and played with it. He had just got up a game so that he could have it raided and get an informer's fee."

This "raid" occurred at River and Hotel streets. The men who paid the fine and now have a kick to make against the way they were trapped are Camilo Maldonado, P. Cordiro, Pedro Molina and Fullo.

DAILY STOCK REPORT

Between Boards—Sales: 50 Ewa, \$20; 65 Ewa, \$30; 50 Ewa, \$30; 35 Ewa, \$30; 60 Ewa, \$30; 50 McBryde, \$30.25; 25 Oo-kala, \$7.50.

Stocks	Bid.	Asked.
Ewa	29.875	30.25
Haw. Agr. Co.	95.00	100.00
Hawaiian Com.	84.00	
Hawaiian Sugar	33.25	34.50
Honolulu Sugar Co.	160.00	172.50
Honokaa		21.00
Hauku	170.00	
Kahuku	33.00	
Kihel	11.50	12.50
Kipahulu	30.00	
Koloa Sugar Co.	160.00	
McBryde Sugar Co.	9.00	9.50
Oahu Sugar	132.50	137.50
Onomaea Sugar Co.	37.00	
Ookala	7.25	8.00
Oloa	5.00	5.75
Olowalu	100.00	
Pacific Sugar Mill	250.00	
Pala	165.00	
Pepeekeo	165.00	
Pioneer	165.00	
Wailuku Agr.	70.00	
Wailuku	280.00	
Waimanalo	150.00	
Wildor S. Co.	150.00	
Inter-Island	125.00	150.00
Hawaiian Electric	100.00	
Hon. R. T. Co., pfd.	99.00	100.50
Hon. R. T. Co., com.		72.50
Mutual Telephone	9.00	9.75
Oahu R. & L. Co.	75.00	
Fire Claims	100.50	
Haw. Govt. 5s.	101.00	
Hawaiian Com. 5s.	101.00	
Ewa 6s.	100.00	
Hauku 6s.	102.25	120.00
Hawaiian Sugar 6s.	102.00	
Hon. R. T. Co. 6s.	105.50	
Kahuku 6s.	100.00	
Oahu R. & L. Co. 6s.	103.50	
Oahu Sugar 6s.	102.00	
Oloa 6s.	95.00	
Pala 6s.	102.25	104.00
Pioneer 6s.	102.50	
Wailuku Agr. 6s.	101.00	101.75

COPTIC SAILS TOMORROW.

The S. S. Coptic will remain in the stream until tomorrow when she will move alongside the Hackfeld wharf and discharge her local cargo amounting to about 600 tons. Her departure for San Francisco will occur sometime tomorrow, the hour to be announced tomorrow morning.

A steamer thought to be the cable S. S. Restorer from Singapore arrived off port today at 1 p. m. She is to be stationed permanently at this port.

MANCHURIA HAD MANY LOCAL PEOPLE

VESSEL ARRIVED THIS MORNING FROM SAN FRANCISCO WITH LARGE CROWD.

The S. S. Manchuria arrived this morning at 10 o'clock from San Francisco with three days later mail from the mainland, having left April 18. She had good weather during the trip. The vessel is loaded too deep to enter the harbor so she came to an anchor off port.

The vessel brought a large crowd of people for Honolulu, there being 46 cabin passengers. She has a large crowd of through passengers for Japanese and Chinese ports.

Among the Honolulu passenger returning was F. M. Bechtel, head of the immigration service at this place. He has been absent some months for his health.

J. R. Castle and wife returned from a trip to the mainland.

H. M. Alexander and wife were also arriving passengers for this place.

F. C. Atherton and wife returned from an extended trip to the mainland. W. A. Kinney, wife and son, returned from a trip to the mainland. Kinney was absent on business.

J. M. Spalding arrived.

J. D. Willard, the Kauai attorney, returned from a trip to the mainland.

L. D. Baldwin returned.

J. F. C. Hagen and wife returned from a visit to California.

J. R. Galt and wife returned from a health trip to California.

Miss Alice Louise Hall returned from a trip to the mainland.

Among the through passengers are W. W. Rockhill and family. He is the new American minister to China. He is to succeed Minister Conger. Minister Rockhill and family will stop over at Peking.

Hubert Voss, the painter, who married one of the Coney girls, is a through passenger for Shanghai.

Captain Henry Leonard, U. S. N., is going out to the Asiatic station.

Major L. L. Seaman of the army hospital service, is going to Japan. He is to go to the front again to study the methods of the Japanese field hospital and medical corps.

Rosenkratz and Keegan, the Jew and the Irish, traveling combination, are going to depart on the vessel today for the Orient in company with Mr. Applebaum. The trio will remain four years in the Orient, establishing trade connections.

The Manchuria sails for the Orient at 6 p. m. today from off port.

CHINATOWN CASE TRIAL AGAIN

THE SUPREME COURT REVERSES CIRCUIT COURT IN ANOTHER CLAIMS CASE.

The Supreme Court decided another Chinatown fire claims case this morning, ordering a new trial of the case of the Kwong Lee Yuen Company against the Manchester Fire Insurance Company. The lower court is reversed on account of an error during the trial. The syllabus of the decision, which is by Hartwell, says:

"In an action to recover on a fire insurance policy one of the owners of the burned buildings was properly testified concerning their value at the time of the loss, it appearing that he built the buildings, knew their original cost, the use which had been made of them and their value for the purpose of rental. Held: The refusal to allow this evidence to go before the jury and granting a non-suit on the ground of failure to prove the value of the burned buildings was erroneous.

"The court refused the plaintiffs' application for leave to re-open the case and put in further evidence, remarking that the application came too late after counsel had been advised that the court would grant a non-suit. Held: Not error; the meaning of the remark being that under the circumstances the judge did not regard himself as justified in allowing the case to be re-opened."

Baldon & Marx appeared for the plaintiff and A. G. M. Robertson for the defendant. Judge Lindsay sat as justice in place of A. A. Wilder, disqualified.

AN ATTORNEY FROM NOME

On motion of E. C. Peters, Deputy Attorney General, in the Supreme Court this morning, Claudius H. McBride was admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor in all the courts of the Territory. Mr. McBride, for the past nine months, has been cashier of the Experiment Station, Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association, and is now such; formerly, he was for several years private secretary to the Judge of the U. S. District Court, as well as official court stenographer, at Nome, Alaska. Mr. McBride expects to engage in practice at Honolulu in a few months.

NEW MINISTER TO CHINA HERE.

W. W. Rockhill, the new American minister to China, is a passenger on the S. S. Manchuria, accompanied by his wife daughter and maid. Minister Rockhill goes to succeed Edward Conger who was minister during the stirring times of the Boxer uprising. The Rockhill party will stop at Yokohama for a brief visit before going to Peking.

Fine Job Printing, Star Office.

PRATT TAKES THE POST OFFICE MAY 1

NEW POSTMASTER NOTIFIED LAST WEEK THAT HIS COMMISSION HAS BEEN MADE OUT.

J. U. Pratt, the new postmaster of Honolulu, was advised by cable last week that his commission as postmaster had been made out and he could take charge. He was also notified that his bond of \$135,000 had been approved. He will take charge of the local post office beginning May 1.

For about a week he has been at the local post office acquainting himself with the workings of details of the office. Pratt says that he does not contemplate any immediate changes in the local force. He desires to thoroughly familiarize himself with the workings of the office before any changes, if any, are made. J. M. Out, the retiring postmaster, will be the only member of the local office to retire upon the event of Pratt assuming charge.

OLONA FIBER SAMPLES.

The Board of Trade is having prepared samples of Olona fiber for the purpose of submitting the same to experts and manufacturers, with a view of finding a market for the product, which is growing wild on the mountain slopes of Hawaii. It is stated that the tensile strength of olona is equal to the best Manila hemp, and its durability is unexcelled by any other known rope fiber. Specimens of olona fishing line used years ago by native fishermen attest to its durability and strong qualities.—Hilo Tribune.

HYDE'S HELP ON EQUITABLE PAY ROLL

FACTION OF ASSURANCE SOCIETY CHARGES COMPANY PAYS OFFICIAL'S PERSONAL SERVANTS.

NEW YORK, March 31.—To investigate the allegation made by a faction in the Equitable Life Insurance Society that a number of J. H. Hyde's personal servants are on the company's payroll, State Superintendent of Insurance Hendricks today held a meeting of the warring parties at his office in this city. Nothing was given out regarding the proceedings.

This last sensational charge follows the allegations by the anti-Hyde faction that Hyde paid for his recent \$50,000 French costume ball at Sherry's out of the Equitable funds, and that the bill for the \$30,000 dinner given to M. Cambon was paid with Equitable money. It is admitted by Hyde's friends that the Equitable paid for the Cambon dinner, but they continue to deny the charge regarding the expensive function at Sherry's at which Rajane, the French actress, gave an impromptu performance of the can-can on a table.

It is openly asserted by persons prominent in the Equitable that many of Hyde's servants are paid out of the treasury of the company, in which he owns a majority of the capital stock. One of these employees, a man who manages Hyde's country estate, is said to receive a salary of \$300 a month. His name is said to be on the payroll of the Equitable Society, and at its offices he is said to draw his salary monthly. At no time except on those monthly pay days does this man show up at the office, it is said.

So persistent are the accusations of Hyde, that getting at the truth of things without adding to the split, Hendricks called today's meeting. Hendricks has called another meeting for tomorrow, at which Hyde's handling of the Equitable funds will be further investigated.

The World tomorrow will say: James H. Hyde, vice-president of the Equitable Life Insurance Society, who is charged with the misuses of the society's funds, received President James W. Alexander's ultimatum yesterday. He was told he must either retire forthwith as an active officer of the Equitable Life, which his father founded, or face complete exposure. Hyde will have until 11 o'clock today to give his answer.

The Tribune will say: The presidency of the Equitable Life Assurance Society has been provisionally offered to John D. Crimmins. It is said on good authority, by representatives of the Hyde party. According to the story, James H. Hyde will offer to retire as vice-president if James V. Alexander will agree to relinquish the presidency in favor of Crimmins. Crimmins is the chairman of a committee of policy holders who have been advocating a plan of mutualization.

MAGOON CASE POSTPONED.

Judge Robinson was too ill to sit on the bench today, and the matter of L. A. Magoon, in which Robinson is to sit on the Supreme bench, was postponed another week.

ARRAIGNED FOR MURDER

E. Gonzales was arraigned before Judge Whitney this morning on a charge of murder in the first degree, it being charged that the defendant had stabbed one Toro a Porto Rican. The case was continued to April 29.

THREE POTENT QUESTIONS.

We repeat, Japan has destroyed the Russian fleet, captured Port Arthur and practically driven Kuropatkin out of Manchuria. That is all that she set out to do. Why then has she not won her fight? And why is it not time for Russia to sue for peace? And if she does not do so, is it not time for the powers to interfere?—Richmond Times Dispatch.



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SPRECKELS LOSES IN ALIEN COURT

RUDOLPH MUST PAY TWO THOUSAND TO A DOCTOR WHO GAVE ADVICE BUT NO TREATMENT.

VIENNA, April 12.—The jury at Egor, Bohemia, gave Dr. Edgar Gans a verdict of \$2000 today in his suit against Rudolph Spreckels, the San Francisco millionaire. Spreckels arrived at Carlsbad suffering from chronic appendicitis. On the advice of Gans he summoned a specialist, who later operated upon him. The specialist received what Spreckels considered an exorbitant fee, and when Gans presented his bill for \$2000 Spreckels, acting on the advice of the American Consul, sent a check for \$500.

The physician immediately appealed to the courts and had the American's baggage attached. The amount involved was deposited by Spreckels, who offered to give an amount equal to that in controversy to the hospital in Carlsbad.

GRAND EXALTED RULER HERE.

W. J. O'Brien, Grand Exalted Ruler of the Elks, arrived by the S. S. Manchuria today for a brief visit to Honolulu.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

ARRIVING. Saturday, April 22.
 Stmr. Likelike, Naopala, from Molo-kai, Maui and Lanai ports and Kuka-lau, at 8 p. m.

DEPARTING. Monday, April 24.
 S. S. Manchuria, Saunders, for the Orient, at 6 p. m.
 Stmr. Likelike, Naopala, for Maui and Molo-kai ports, at 5 p. m.

PASSENGERS.

Booked To Arrive.
 Per S. S. Ventura, May 3, from San Francisco: C. M. Eddy and wife, Miss A. T. Phillips, F. L. Hatch, Rev. H. Ostrom and wife, H. Ostrom, Jr., Miss Ostrom, Fred Butler and wife, J. Hillis, Ellsford Company.

Arriving.
 Per S. S. Manchuria, April 24, from San Francisco, for Honolulu: H. M. Alexander and wife, F. C. Atherton and wife, Mrs. W. L. Howard, Mrs. F. M. Johnson, Miss V. Johnson, W. A. Kinney, wife and son, Charles Mansard, wife and child, Miss M. McAndrew, J. Michaels, Jett E. Nash, W. J. O'Brien and wife, H. A. Peairs, Miss L. A. Roney, Otto A. Rother, Miss I. Schneider, J. M. Spalding, Miss Mabel Stillman, Miss Elvora Sturgeson, Mrs. Ida W. Waterhouse, Miss N. M. White, E. P. Wilcox and wife, J. D. Willard, Miss May L. D. Baldwin, Miss H. A. Barrows, F. M. Bechtel, John Braze, J. R. Castle and wife, R. S. Crombie and wife, Mrs. Mary E. Davidson, J. H. Galt and wife, A. Gartley, J. F. C. Hagen and wife, Miss Alice Louise Hall.

Departing.
 Per S. S. Manchuria, April 24, for the Orient—Mrs. Frear and child, G. Kunst, H. Cozell, Dri Waterhouse, B. G. Holt, J. D. Keegan, F. M. Applebaum, H. J. Rosenrotz, H. G. McLane, J. Inoue, J. H. Elliott.
 Per S. S. Coptic, April 25, for San Francisco—S. Takaori, S. Iwamoto, Miss R. Michie.

HE WANTS A DIVORCE.

W. J. England has filed a libel for divorce against Minnie G. England alleging that she committed adultery with one Robert Maden on June 14, 1922.

HALEIWA.

The Haleiwa Hotel, Honolulu's famous country resort, on the line of the Oahu Railway, contains every modern improvement and affords its guests an opportunity to enjoy all amusements—golf, tennis, billiards, fresh and salt water bathing, shooting, fishing, riding and driving. Tickets, including railway fare and one full day's room and board, are sold at the Honolulu Station and Trent & Company for \$5. For departure of trains, consult time table.

On Sundays, the Haleiwa Limited, a two hour train, leaves at 8:22 a. m.; returning, arrives in Honolulu at 10 p. m.